

Square Dancing to Re-Open Heber Social Hall on Friday, June 24th

The fine old Heber Social Hall will come to life again on Friday, June 24 at 8:30 p. m., with a caller's square dance, bringing people from throughout the state back to Heber.

For the past year the future of the building has been under consideration as to its best uses and the feasibility of its restoration. It is a significant part of the town square and is considered to be an economic asset to the valley.

THE RED SANDSTONE building was constructed in 1906 and 1907 by the Heber Wards to provide for the growing demands of the auxiliary organizations of the wards. Last year the Tabernacle and Social Hall were transferred to Heber City.

The Wasatch Historical Society has secured old-style glass to replace the broken window panes and is now installing the glass in the Social Hall. The City has cleaned up the sur-

rounding grounds and is assisting in the renovation of the rest room facilities. The hall has been thoroughly cleaned and is already returning to its original beauty.

CONSIDERABLE INTEREST has developed in reopening of the building and its future in the community. Square dance groups from throughout this part of the state are planning to attend this first program.

Folk dancing is considered to be quite appropriate for this initial evening. Many of the square dance enthusiasts have danced on this fine coil-spring-supported dance floor in the past and are enthusiastic about returning to Heber.

MC-ing the dances will be Dr. Ted Sperry, Bill Pendleton and Wendell Taylor. All callers have been invited to register and participate. Dr. Ted Sperry teaches numerous dances for wards and other groups. Bill

Pendleton calls for the East Mill Creek Squares and Wendell Taylor teaches round dancing to the Promenaders. All three have had many years' experience in calling and teaching dances.

SQUARE DANCING groups range in age from teenagers to senior citizens and are now found around the world. Square dancing continues to develop in style of dancing and has long been a pre-eminent form of American folk dancing.

The dance will start at 8:30 in the evening with a round dance workshop for half an hour for everyone to learn some new steps.

The proceeds of the program will be used for renovation work on the Social Hall. A contribution of one dollar per couple is suggested. Everyone is invited to come and dance or to watch the square dancing.



RE-OPENING OF THE SOCIAL HALL— Friday night square dance callers and wives, Helen and Bill Pendleton, Dr. Ted and Marge Sperry, Celia and Wendell Taylor.

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